

The New Hampshire.

BILLS NOW BEFORE STATE LEGISLATURE

NEEDS OF COLLEGE EMBODIED IN
APPROPRIATION MEASURES.

ONLY NECESSITIES SOUGHT

College Relies Upon Interest of Citizens—
Growth of College Depends on Their
Cooperation.

New Hampshire College has at the present time three bills before the state legislature. One bill calls for an appropriation of \$135,000 to be used in the construction of a commons and a boys' dormitory, another sets aside \$6200 for the purchase of Bzllard Hall, while the third is the bill for running expenses, which are estimated to require \$8,000 before the next convening of the legislature.

COMMONS DINING HALL.

The commons dining hall as planned will accommodate 500 students, both men and women, and good, wholesome food will be furnished to all as economically as possible. A dormitory for 100 men will take up the remainder of the \$135,000 appropriation, and will help greatly in relieving the painful corgestion now existing from lack of rooming facilities in Durham.

The appropriation for the purchase of Ballard Hall will obviate the necessity of renting that building. The state of New Hampshire has never appropriated money for the erection of dormitories for the men or women here, Smith Hall being the gift of an individual, and it is to be hoped that the present General Court may see its way clear to set a new precedent in this respect.

RUNNING EXPENSES.

The \$8,000 for running expenses is the sum which remains after a most severe cutting out of all expenses not absolutely necessary and its passage is vital to the efficient running of the college. It is more than double the amount set aside by the last legislature for this purpose, owing to the largely increased attendance and the bright prospect for a still greater number the coming fall.

The people of the state are becoming more interested in their state institution and it is bound to grow just as fast as the generosity of the people shown by their representatives at Concord, will let it. A veritable 'era of good feeling' has begun, and with increasing publicity New Hampshire College and her activities throughout the state cannot but be more and more appreciated and aided by every loyal citizen.

ERNEST P. CONLON GIVES TALK OF INTEREST BEFORE N. H. C. C. A.

Last Sunday afternoon an exceedingly helpful and inspiring talk was listened to in the church chapel by the students who gathered to hear Mr. Ernest P. Conlon of Hyde Park, Massachusetts.

Mr. Conlon is gifted with a splendid personality and his words were most effective and well chosen. During his informal talk he touched upon the desirability of each man's fitting himself to be a leader, a man among men. A man could fell a tree across a stream so that it formed a practical but rather unsafe bridge with five minutes' labor, but to build a bridge of steel or concrete, that could endure stress, would take several months at least. In the same manner Mr. Conlon asked how could Christians expect to stand shocks and stresses of a spiritual nature, when they spend so little time upon this most important aspect of their lives.

The 'big brother' idea occupied an important place in the speaker's words and the tremendous amount of good possible in such work was pointed out.

The whole talk was enlivened by apt illustrations and anecdotes and it is regrettable that more fellows did not avail themselves of the opportunity offered by Mr. Conlon's coming.

Don't miss the Master Key every Wednesday and Thursday at the Lyric.

RELAY TEAM LOSES TO W. P. I. AT BOSTON

Massachusetts Boys Have Little Difficulty
in Winning—Groves Runs Best
for N. H. C.

Last Saturday night, January 23, our relay team was defeated by Worcester Polytechnic Institute at the Coast Artillery meet in Boston. The result was not surprising as our team was made up of new men, none of whom had ever run in a relay race before. The Worcester team, on the other hand, had two of last year's runners. The first man up for New Hampshire, Dudley, drew the pole and led his man for the first lap. The Worcester man then steadily gained on him and finished about 25 yards in the lead.

N. H. GAINS.

The next two men, Davis and Sanders, were scarcely able to hold their own with the result that Groves, the last Blue and White runner found himself confronted with quite a lead to overcome. Handicapped as he was, however, he started out with barrels of speed and succeeded in halving the distance between himself and the Worcester man in the first lap, but from then to the finish was unable to gain. The result was that Worcester won by about 20 yards.

At the same meet Rhode Island won from Boston College going over the course in about the same time that Worcester did.

Former Coach John Powers was in attendance at the meet and assisted our men in every possible way. After the race the men were his guests at supper.

LINE-UP.

New Hampshire: Dudley, A. L. Davis, Sanders, Groves.

Worcester Poly. Inst: H. A. Cleveland, R. Ricker, R. H. Russell, E. T. Warren.

Time, 2 minutes, 40 4-5 seconds.

THREE COUNTIES PROGRESS IN COUNTY AGENT MOVEMENT.

J. B. Abbott spent last week in Coos county holding meetings to explain county agent work. At Lancaster last Wednesday, a meeting was held to perfect a permanent farmers' county organization. With Coos county in line, plans will have been made for county agents in three new sections, the other two being Belknap and Merrima counties.

1575 PEOPLE REACHED LAST YEAR IN 35 ORCHARD MEETINGS.

Plans are now being made for orchard demonstration in pruning and spraying. Last year thirty-five demonstrations were held over the state, reaching 1575 people in all. The average cost of each demonstration, excluding the salary of the men engaged in the work and a small amount for advertising was \$1.97, or a total of \$69.30 for the whole thirty-five meetings.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE N. H. C. ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

Following is the financial statement of the athletic association for the year ending June 1914.

On hand Sept. 1913,	\$418.74
College appropriation, student fees and all A. dues etc.	2430.03
Total	\$2,848.77

Expenditures:	
Football,	\$281.67
Basketball,	45.87
Baseball,	448.45
Track,	350.55
Coaching,	1,212.50
A. A. Misc.	57.81

Total,	\$2,396.85
Balance on hand, Sept. 1914,	\$452.92

Famous Player productions every Friday at the Lyric.

“THE AMERICAN GIRL” ENTERTAINS COLLEGE

GIRLS GLEE CLUB PRESENTS SUCCESSFUL
OPERETTA

VARIOUS ROLES WELL ACTED

Ruth Hussey as Eva Hope and Marion
Gidding as Bridget O'Halloran Made
Hits of Evening.

The first public presentation of "The American Girl" by the Girl's Glee Club was given in the gymnasium last Friday evening.

THE PLOT.

The plot of the operetta centers around Eva Hope, an American girl, who is traveling in England, with her father, when he is called to Germany on business, and arranges for Eva, accompanied by her maid, to stay with his sister, Lady Melton, at Belford Hall. By some mistake Eva comes to Belford House, a summer school kept by Miss Carew, who is expecting a new pupil from Ireland. Eva arrives during the temporary absence of Miss Carew and soon discovers her error, but agrees with two of the girls to stay for a day and impersonate the Irish girl. This leads to some amusing incidents as Miss Carew, who is slightly deaf, is completely deceived.

MISS GIDDING MAKES HIT.

The role of Eva Hope, the American girl was acted to perfection by Miss Ruth Hussey. The hit of the evening, however was made by Miss Marian Gidding as Bridget O'Halloran, the verdant specimen of good nature just imported from "the ould sod." Time and time again she caused the audience to indulge in frequent outbursts of laughter and applause.

Misses Finley, Lary, Roberts, Chase and Huse deserve special mention for the admirable way in which they acted their respective parts.

The chorus parts were well sung and much credit should be given Mr. W. M. Dalglish of Lawrence, who has been instructing the club.

An audience of more than 300 was present and was generous with its applause. Following is the cast of characters:

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Vera Burdett,	Julia A. Roberts, '17
Myra Burdett,	Marion O. Chase, '17
Sisters.	Pupils at Bedford House Holiday School.
Miss Carew,	Principal of Belford House School (very deaf.)
Nettie E. Finley '16	Miss Miffin, Assistant mistress and gymnastic instructor,
Erma Lary, '18	Lady Melton, Aunt of Eva May Hope, (slightly eccentric)
Irene M. Huse 18	Edna Harris,
Lou Crandall, '17	Violet Newman,
Abbie J. Turcotte, '17	Dora Beale, Genevieve Charbonneau, '16
Other pupils.	
Bridget O'Halloran, Eva Hope's Maid,	Marion Gidding, '18
Eva May Hope,	Ruth Hussey, '17
The American Girl from Chicago,	touring Europe with her papa, who at present is in Germany.
Chorus of School girls.	
Marion Gilson	Mary Murphy
Helen Bugbee	Mary Worcester
Hazel Clark	Mary Langley
Henrietta Nudd	Mary Dole
Louise Burpee	Bernice Reed
Helen Weston	Rose Diettrich
Ethel Walker	Ruth Hadley
Lillian Mack	Alice Hoitt

ECONOMICS CLASSES HAVE USE OF BABSON'S BUSINESS REPORTS.

Babson's Reports on Fundamental Business Conditions published by the Babson Statistical Organization are being regularly received for the use of the classes in economics. These reports are subscribed for by bankers and business houses, and are supposed to forecast the probable trend in business conditions.

WHOLE COMMUNITY AVAILS ITSELF OF SHORT COURSES

East Alstead Sends Proxies to Take Notes
to be Delivered at a Farmers' Week
at Home.

A most gratifying evidence of the interest of the people of the state in the one week courses now being given at New Hampshire College was brought to our attention in a letter from Edwin R. Wharton of East Alstead, N. H. The letter tells how this community is availing itself of the courses offered at the college. Merle Page was sent to Durham for the course in Grain and Potatoes, representing the Alsted grange. Mrs. Fred Kingsberry, representing the Community Club and Miss Alice J. Mayo, for the church, are here this week for the Small Fruits and Poultry lectures, and three young men are to be sent for Farmers' Week, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. All expenses are paid by the organizations represented. Those sent are to take careful detailed notes on the work done, and be prepared to give information and any counsel within their power. When all have completed their courses, a movable school or farmers week is contemplated, with the assistance of several instructors from the college to aid in presenting the reports, in order that the community may get the most benefit possible.

SENIOR ENGINEERING STUDENTS TO VISIT BERLIN PAPER MILLS.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week the electrical and mechanical engineers of the senior class are to take a trip to the Berlin paper mills in northern New Hampshire in response to an invitation sent them to visit the mills. In addition to the paper plant, the mills have an extensive hydroelectric development and several steam turbines. For these features and from the fact that the mills have the most complete and up-to-date sawmill in the country, the trip will be of peculiar interest and benefit to the engineering students. On Friday evening Prof. C. E. Hewitt will speak to the engineering corps of the plant on the proposed short courses in engineering at New Hampshire College and on the extension work in engineering.

STATE DAIRYMEN'S ASSOCIATION WILL MEET AT MANCHESTER.

The New Hampshire department of Agriculture and the Granite State Dairymen's association are to meet in joint convention at Manchester on February 10 and 11.

The program promises to be one of special interest taking in as it does practically all phases of the dairy industry. The speakers who have been engaged are men who are prominent in agricultural work and who from their wide and diversified experience are sure to make the meeting of immense value to every wide-awake farmer.

The Boys' Corn Show and the Dairy Show will be held in connection with the meeting. Valuable premiums and over two hundred dollars in cash prizes are offered the contestants.

Makers of farm implements and machinery will have exhibits at the convention, thereby giving the farmers an opportunity to inspect for themselves the most modern appliances available.

N. H. C. TO SEND REPRESENTATIVE TO SKI AND SNOW SHOE MEET.

At a recent meeting of the Athletic Association it was voted to send "Gus" Paulsen to the intercollegiate ski and snowshoe meet at Hanover, February 13. As far as is known this is the first intercollegiate meet of its kind held anywhere. A new runway has been built 430 feet long with an angle which will allow a 90 foot leap. This is a sort of carnival meet at which hockey games, basketball games, house parties, and the like will be held. At a previous exhibition held there Mr. Paulsen won first honors on a smaller runway, leaping 59 feet while his nearest competitor covered only 39 feet.

VICTORY GAINED OVER COLBY FIVE

N. H. TEAM WORK BETTER THAN INDIVIDUAL
PLAYING OF OPONENTS

SUBSTITUTES FINISH GAME.

Hazen and Price Excel for Blue and White
Arey Stars for Colby—Improvement
Over Previous Game.

Saturday, January 23, New Hampshire won from the Colby Independents basketball team by a score of 36 to 17. The game was interesting throughout and the playing of the New Hampshire men showed a marked improvement over that of the previous game. The passing was better and there was less individual work. The Colby team, although made up of stars, showed a decided lack of team work. During the latter part of the second half New Hampshire had an entire team of substitutes on the floor. Hazen and Price played a good game for New Hampshire while Arey excelled for Colby. It looked natural to see Joe Killourey back and he proved as big an attraction as usual.

Tomorrow night, January 30, our team meets the strong Tufts Rovers in the Gymnasium. Last year our team beat Tufts 49 to 11.

THE SUMMARY:

New Hampshire	Colby
Thompson, Sanborn lf	rg Cauley
Bissell, Torrey rf	lg Dacey
Price, Steele c	c Hastings
Brown, Cahalane lg	rf Arey
Hazen, Badger rg	lf Niles

Score: New Hampshire 36, Colby 17; baskets from floor, Thompson 5, Price 4, Arey 4, Bissell 3, Niles 2, Brown, Cahalane, Dacey; baskets from fouls, Thompson 8, Dacey 2, Niles; referee, "Joe" Kilhourey; Timer, Parker; Scorer, Degnan; time two 20 minute periods.

RECEPTION GIVEN TO ALUMNUS SIMES T. HOYT, '10 OF HONOLULU.

On Sunday afternoon, Jan. 10, a reception was given to Simes T. Hoyt '10 of Honolulu at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Peel '10, 24 Ripley road, Dorchester, Mass. The gathering resembled a typical Durham house party and was enlivened by New Hampshire songs and cheers. Refreshments were served. The guests were H. E. Wilder, '09, Seattle, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Throp, '10, Roxbury, Mass., W. A. Gove, '11 and R. B. Seammon, '10, Lynn, Mass., E. D. French, '10 and Miss Idella Robinson, Boston, Mass., L. A. Tarbell, '12 and Miss Ida Clement, Dorchester, Mass.

CLASS IN SOCIOLOGY 53 VISITS WAVERLY INSTITUTE.

On January 16 Professor E. R. Groves and his class in Sociology 53 took a trip to the Waverly Institute for the Feeble-Minded, the Massachusetts State Institution. The morning was spent in inspection of the buildings and of the work done there. The party was personally conducted by one of the doctors, who gave interesting and complete demonstrations of the Binet tests and a lecture concerning the data necessary for a study of the subject. Then the extensive industrial work was shown and explained, besides a number of hospital cases representing specific types of disease. The party left for Boston at 1.00 p. m.

SMALL FRUITS AND POULTRY COURSE WELL PATRONIZED.

The one week course in Small Fruits and Poultry is receiving a larger patronage than any course so far given. Besides seven men who are taking all the courses in order, are the following women: Miss Caroline S. Thompson, Epping; Miss Alba M. Callowhill, So. Axworth; Miss Carrie E. Foss, East Kingston; Miss Ruth Wheeler, Salem Depot; Miss Alice J. Mayo and Mr s Fred Kingsberry, both of East Alstead

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On account of the Mid-Semester recess the next issue of the New Hampshire will not be published until February 19.

As our first semester's work is now practically at an end, we can at this time look back and judge whether or not we have accomplished all the things that we might have during the weeks past. Let us search our hearts for an answer to this question. Has our moral fiber been strengthened by temptations overcome, or have we weakly yielded and allowed our conscience to be side tracked at the very first try-out? Has our daily task been drudgery or do we consider it as the gateway to "opportunity," and ourselves as fortunate above all things in being able to enjoy such advantages? The fact that we are now taking examinations from which our more industrious neighbors have been excused ought to hint to us a chance for improvement. But whatever our present condition, let us firmly resolve to strive in the coming semester to justify our presence here, to build up our character and assure our standing, and to grow more fully into the perfect manhood that will be ours if we but make the necessary effort to attain it.

Certain students are elected to responsible positions every year, where there has to be handled certain sums of money, sometimes large, sometimes small.

It would be well if such students would follow the suggestion made by Prof. Hewitt, at the time when he spoke to the student body in regard to "The New Hampshire." The suggestion was, that all money received be carefully recorded in a suitable journal or cashbook and deposited in the bank, and that such deposits should always correspond to the receipts in the journal. All money paid out should be by check only, except in the case of amounts less than \$1.00, such amounts being paid from a petty cash account. A check of \$5.00, for example, should be drawn to petty cash and so recorded in the journal or cashbook. A separate petty cash account should show items for which this money was used. By following this suggestion, a great deal of trouble may be saved, and in some instances, much embarrassment to the student.

AT LAST.

By Harold Sussman.
Comfort for the weary heart!
In the daily news I find
Cupid is about to start
An asylum for the blind!
All-Story Cavalier Weekly.

2000 COLLEGE MEN WANTED TO FIGHT JOHN BARLEYCORN

Plan of National Prohibition Committee Already Successful on Small Scale—Monthly Magazine to be Launched

A call has been issued for 3,000 college men to volunteer in the war against John Barleycorn. The Prohibition National Committee with headquarters in Chicago plan to enlist 2,000 of these men by June 1st, 1915, and the remainder within the year following. Fifteen special secretaries are now travelling among the colleges and universities of the country enlisting young men for the campaign.

TRIED ON SMALL SCALE.

The plan of work is one which has been tried on a small scale during the past ten years with great success. During this time about 250 college men have been employed in various sections of the country, and the results of their work have been so encouraging that those in charge of the national prohibition movement have decided to enlist enough men to cover the entire country by a house to house canvass.

PLEDGES OF VOTERS.

The plan of work will consist of interviewing every voter and securing his pledge, if possible, to support only those candidates and parties committed to national prohibition. Theoretically the campaigners will ring every door bell in the United States, practically much of the actual campaigning will be done by volunteer organizations effected by the campaigner. In addition to enrolling voters it is planned to launch a great national monthly prohibition paper and to get a subscription list of 5,000,000 the largest in the history of newspaper publication. Every voter who enrolls will be asked to pay ten cents for a year's subscription to this paper. In case he does not do so, his paper will be paid for from a fund set aside for that purpose.

ENLIST 3000 MEN

The plan is now to enlist 3,000 young men at army wages, \$25.00 per month and expenses. The term of service on this basis being until the organizer has enrolled 1,666 voters. When each of 3,000 men shall have secured his quota, the total will be 5,000,000 voters enrolled, which will be a sufficient number to insure national prohibition.

REPORTS FROM PROGRESS FROM THE N. H. EXTENSION SERVICE.

Mr. Richardson, the orchard demonstrator in Hillsboro county is organizing reading courses to take up the study of orchard management in some of the fruit growing sections of the county.

A movable school is being held at Fitzwilliam Depot this week. A splendid interest is being manifested in this school, typical of the interest shown in other parts of the state. An attendance of 141 at one of the evening lectures is an evidence of this fact.

The coming week there will be held a dairy school at Piermont, and a horticulture school at Hollis.

Director Kendall spoke before the Merrimac County Pomona Grange last week with county agent work as his topic. The meeting was at East Concord and an appropriation of \$200 was made toward the expenses of an agent by the Patrons of Husbandry.

Miss Sarah Bates has organized Women's Clubs at Cornish and at Cornish Flats.

The New Hampshire Federation of Women's Clubs have appointed a large and representative committee to work in co-operation with the extension service of the college.

A Poultry Institute will be held at Concord, Feb. 17 in connection with the Merrimac Valley Poultry Association. The meeting will last throughout the day and evening.

An organization of the poultry men in the state will be formed at that time.

At a recent meeting of the Athletic Association it was voted to allow "Mickey" Welsh to use the equipment of last year's varsity hockey team to outfit an independent team made up of college students. The rink behind the gymnasium has not been fixed up permanently yet, but by the end of the midyear vacation it will be ready for use and hockey practice will start immediately upon the return of the men at the beginning of the semester. So far, not many men have reported, but it is hoped that more will take an interest in this sport after the exams are out of the way. "Ike" Haines will return to complete his work during the second semester and will make a valuable addition to the team.

EEPING AND AMESBURY TRIPS BY GLEE CLUB SUCCESSFUL

Men Received by Appreciative Audiences—Itinerary of Coming Trip—Members of Club

On Thursday evening, January 21, the Glee Club and orchestra made its first trip this season, giving a very successful concert at Epping. The affair was in charge of D. Watson Ladd '14, and entertainment was provided for the men at private homes.

AMESBURY TRIP.

The club returned to Durham Friday at 10.36, and left in the afternoon at 2.40 for Amesbury, Massachusetts. Here the entertainment was given for the benefit of the Amesbury High athletic association. An appreciative audience of over seven hundred was in attendance. After the concert an invitation dance was held, high school students and alumni being present, with the members of the Glee Club as guests of the evening.

Practically the same program was presented at both places, while its arrangement evoked much favorable comment. The quartet made its usual "hits" and the solos were well taken.

The itinerary of the coming mid-semester trips will be as follows:

February 2—Manchester.
February 3—Warner.
February 4—Newport.
February 5—Claremont.
February 6—Meriden.

THE PROGRAM.

The program follows: (Mr. Knox read at Epping and Mr. Smith at Amesbury)

Part One.

Selection, King Midas by Elenberg, College Orchestra.
Ferrara by Bullard, Glee Club.
Violin Duet, Dream of a Shepherdess by Aug. Labitzky, Messers. Weigel and Bachelor.
The Legend of the Chimes, by de-Koven, Mr. Blake and Glee Club.
Quartet Selection.
Reading, Mr. Knox.
Vocal Solo, The Soldier's Dream, Mr. Blake.

Sympathy, Waltz Song from the Firefly by Frimi, Glee Club.

Part Two

Schauspiel Overture by Bach, College Orchestra.
On Board the Derelict by Campbell, Glee Club.
Cornet Solo, Delecta, Fantasia, by Rollinson, Mr. Broginni.
Nightingale and Rose by Lehnert, Glee Club.
Vocal Solo, Angus MacDonald by Roeckel, Mr. Bugbee.
Quartet Selection.
De Copper Moon by Shelley, Glee Club.

College Hymn and New Hampshire.

The following men made the trip:

GLEE CLUB MEMBERS.

R. A. Knight, '15; S. G. Johnson, '16; F. S. Manter, '16; J. E. Milmore, '18; D. W. Libby '18; H. E. Corliss, '18; G. M. Loomis, '15; R. R. Pitman, sp; R. S. Yeaton, '16; F. W. Fitch, '17; W. H. Thomas, '17; R. E. Smith, 2 yr. '16; E. L. Blake, '16; R. J. Bugbee, '16; F. D. Ellsworth, '16; S. H. Fogg, '15; A. C. Robinson, '17; V. A. Perkins, '16; G. A. Chase, '16; D. P. Crockett, '16; L. B. Robinson, '16; R. L. Dame, '18; C. A. Bennett, '18; P. W. Gay, 2 yr. '16.

ORCHESTRA.

M. J. Broginni, '15; C. A. Weigel, '16; E. L. Blame, '16; F. S. Manter, '16; V. W. Batchelor, '17; H. C. Robinson, '17; G. M. Loomis, '15; P. S. Ward, '16; C. A. Bennett, '18.

ARTHUR W. COLBURN, N. H. '97 ELECTED TO MASS. LEGISLATURE.

Arthur W. Colburn, N. H. C., '97 was elected to the House of Representatives of Massachusetts from Ward 1 in Lowell, last November. Since his graduation from New Hampshire College, he has been carrying on general agricultural work on the homestead farm that has been in his family for more than 100 years. In the last seven years he has taken up the breeding of Holstein Friesian cattle exclusively in place of mixed breeds. Mr. Colburn, however, has been as active along political lines as he has in agriculture for in his home town, Dracut, he has held many positions among them being Overseer of Poor, Selectman, Assessor, Tax Collector, in addition to serving on the School Board and Board of Health.

Mrs. C. R. Cleveland and daughter have arrived in town, and are at present occupying the home of Miss Charlotte Thompson.

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The A. B. C. powers of South America are sending more and more of their young men to American institutions of learning. At present Argentina is sending 43, Brazil, 13; and Chile, 12.

PRINCETON.

Recently the undergraduates of Princeton voted overwhelmingly against the continuance of compulsory daily chapel, and voted somewhat less decisively for the continuance of compulsory Sunday chapel.

KANSAS.

Improvement in written work is claimed by Mr. F. C. Winship, instructor in English at Kansas State Agricultural College, as a result of the study of well-known news magazines and the discarding of the study of literature such as that relating to London in the sixteenth century.

MASSACHUSETTS.

There is under consideration at the Massachusetts Agricultural College a proposition to have the college courses continue throughout the entire year. The elimination of the summer vacation would, of course, enable many men to obtain their degrees in three years.

WALTER E. ARTHUR, EX '15

DIES AT HOSPITAL IN MANCHESTER.

Apparently on the road to recovery, after undergoing a successful operation for appendicitis at a hospital in Manchester, Walter Edward Arthur, ex '15 was stricken suddenly and despite the efforts of three physicians, died Wednesday afternoon, January 20.

The funeral was held at his home in Manchester, Friday January 22 at two forty-five in the afternoon.

Mr. Arthur was a graduate of the Manchester high school in 1908. In athletics he was prominent, having played on his class team in basket ball and baseball. He studied mechanical engineering at this college and was a member of the Kappa Sigma fraternity.

The young man was 25 years of age, and a lifelong resident of Manchester. He is survived by his wife, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Arthur, and a sister, Mrs. Agnes E. Traves, all of this city.

Before returning to Manchester to take up his duties in the employ of the W. H. McElwain company, Mr. Arthur resided in Portsmouth, and worked in the Motor Plant.

His death came as a very sad blow to all who knew him here, as he was very popular and had made many staunch friendships here.

FUNERAL OF LAURA JANE PAIGE HELD IN GOFFSTOWN SUNDAY.

The sad news of the death of Laura Jane Paige on Thursday morning, January 21, at her home in Goffstown came as a surprise to her many friends in this institution. Miss Paige had been ill since September with a malady that puzzled doctors and specialists and is still unexplainable. The funeral services were held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock and the interment was at Mount Lawn cemetery.

Miss Paige was a member of the Alpha Alpha Alpha sorority and the class of 1914. Misses Plumer, Nudd and Burpee of the college attended the funeral.

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Don't get your cuffs mixed. Think how embarrassed you would be, if you wore the cuffs with the chemistry problems on them to the English examination, or vice versa.

Don't worry as to what questions you'll get in the exams. That won't get you anything—worry about the answers if you must worry.

Don't tell your instructor just before the exam that you forgot to bring your note book, but will hand it to him as soon as you get a spare minute. He's wise that you're stalling for time to finish copying last November's notes.

Don't forget to bring an eraser. The nearest man that you could borrow one from is having a different exam so that you might as well save time by bringing your own eraser.

No, most of the afternoon exams will not be over in time to go over to Dover and see the movies that afternoon.

Ages Of Great Men.

A great man does not always attain a ripe old age; in fact, hardly half of the greatest men of modern and ancient times have reached that limit of age set by the Bible, 70. Among statesmen, Mirabeau was 42, Pitt 47, Cromwell 59, Caesar 55, Richelieu 57, Washington 67, Charlemagne 71, Frederick the Great 74, Disraeli 75, Augustus 76, Bismarck 83, Talleyrand 84.

Of the great conquerors, Alexander the Great died at 72, Napoleon at 51, Hannibal at 63, Themistocles at 65, Marius at 71, Marlborough at 72, Tilley at 72, Bluecher at 76, Bernadotte at 80, Wellington at 83, Xenophon at 86, Moltke at 91.

To painters death came at the ages stated: Raphael 37, Corejo 40, Van Dyck 40, Holbein 57, Velasquez 61, Rembrandt 63, Rubens 61, Michael Angelo 81, Titian 99.

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THE MELLON INSTITUTE.

The Mellon Institute, which while an integral part of the University of Pittsburgh, has its own endowment, is expanding over \$150,000 annually for salaries and maintenance; and will, early in February, occupy its new home, the most modern and largest research laboratory in this country. According to the system of industrial research in operation at this institute, a manufacturer having a problem requiring solution may become the donor of a fellowship; said manufacturer provides the salary of the fellow selected to conduct the investigation desired, the Institute furnishing such facilities as are necessary for the conduct of the work. Seven years' experience has shown that The Mellon Institute represents a successful alliance between industry and learning. Since September 1911, 43 industrial fellowships in all have been established.

A Good One To Try On Somebody.

A Frenchman, boasting in company that he had mastered the English language was requested to write the following from dictation: "As Hugh Hughes was hewing a yule log from a yew tree a man dressed in clothes of a dark hue came up to Hugh and said, Have you seen my ewe? Hugh replied, If you wait until I hew this yew, I will go with you anywhere in Europe to look for your ewe."

FINANCIAL STATUS OF THE NEW HAMPSHIRE.

The following is a statement of the receipts and estimated expenditures of "The New Hampshire" up to June, 1915.

RECEIPTS.	
Cash on hand,	\$318.02
Am't due from advertising,	59.10
Bal. from advertising which will fall due May 1,	199.08
Unpaid subscriptions, considered good,	261.00
Total receipts	\$837.20
EXPENDITURES.	
Printing 16 issues at \$25.	\$400.00
Old debt of 1911-12,	312.43
Estimated cost of address plates,	3.00
Postage, express, etc., estimated	35.00
Expenses and incidentals,	25.00
Total expenditures,	\$775.43

The above estimate indicates that there will be a balance of about \$60 at the end of the college year with all bills paid.

BALANCE FOR IMPROVEMENT.

The list of expenditures includes the debt of \$321.43, the cost of the new addressograph, the address plates and a complete new card index with filing cases. Any balance at the end of the college year will now be devoted to the improvement of "The New Hampshire" for the following year. Included in the item of cash on hand, under receipts, is an amount of \$129.95 which has been paid over to "The New Hampshire" by T. C. Twomey, '13 who was business manager for three years.

When Mr. Twomey became business manager in '10, there was a debt of \$411. At the end of that college year he had succeeded in paying all of the old debt, also the cost of publishing the paper for that year and closed the year with a balance of \$37.95. This balance according to the practice of preceding years, he appropriated to partially compensate himself for his services.

After making this splendid showing, he was elected business manager for the year 1911-1912. It was at this time that "New Hampshire" monthly was changed to a weekly. Under his good management, all bills pertaining to the publishing of "The New Hampshire" weekly were paid and the year's work was closed with a balance of \$23.28, which was divided up between Mr. Twomey and the editor in chief.

DEBT CONTRACTED.

He was again elected business manager for the year 1912-1913. During this year, everything went well until about Jan. 1, 1913. From this time on Mr. Twomey was unable to devote much time to "The New Hampshire," owing to the fact that his college work demanded more of his time and things went to the bad for the balance of the year. It was during this period that the present debt of \$312.43 was contracted.

No one regretted the poor showing of "The New Hampshire," during the

CAUSES FOR INCREASE IN N. H. C. ENROLLMENT

Principal One is Present Liberal Policy of College Regarding Admission and Electives

Having entered in the last few years upon so remarkable a growth that members of its alumni find it hard to believe the stories emanating every day from Durham, those in authority in New Hampshire College are now being asked to what extent this growth is to continue and what is its cause.

No less an authority than H. C. Morrison, state superintendent of public instruction, declared recently in an address here that he believed a total enrollment of 1500 could be expected in a few years more, and as six years ago there were less than 250 students, this statement of his attracted some attention.

INFLUENCE OF ATHLETICS.

President E. T. Fairchild, when interviewed recently by the Boston Globe as to his views on the subject of paid athletic coaches declared that so far as the popularity of a college is concerned it seems to matter little whether there are paid coaches or amateurs, good teams or poor, for New Hampshire has in recent years grown phenomenally, and yet has not in these years had any marked athletic successes.

It is generally believed in Durham that the growth of the college is due to its present liberal policy. It aims to teach what people want to know, not what a few authorities think people should know. It is trying to be of service to the people of the state. Now as the people of the state are coming to realize this the attendance records are being smashed each year. The limit is probably to be determined largely by the growth of the state itself.

POLICY APPRECIATED.

That the policy of the college is being appreciated by the people and that this policy also meets the approval of the wisest educators was strongly revealed recently in an article on "America's Rising Tide of College Men," written by Henry T. Claus in the Boston Transcript.

Mr. Claus says: "Comparatively speaking the college is still for the few, but not to the extent that this was true in a decade ago. There seems to be a greater and greater appreciation of the fact that the ability to pass a stiff examination in certain rigidly fixed high school subjects does not necessarily label a man fitted for college. The conviction is growing that it is possible to do constructive thinking in shop work as well as in Latin or geometry. That this conviction has been so late in coming is largely due to a fear of decreasing the standards of admission to college. Just as soon as it was discovered that the process was a broadening and not a lowering one, a revamping of requirements was begun."

MR. CLAUS COMMENTS.

In commenting on New Hampshire College in particular, Mr. Claus says: "Comparatively speaking, New Hampshire's increase in enrollment is very large, the number of freshmen having jumped from 168 to 207. Although the admission requirements are already elastic, further changes are contemplated. Herein undoubtedly lies one of the causes for the college's growing popularity."

THE WATCHER.

By Arthur Wallace Peach.

When Joy has left the gray, deserted rooms,
When Friendship, Trust, and Dreams fore'er depart,
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All-Story Cavalier Weekly.

year 1912-1913 more than Mr. Twomey. As the result of his management, during this year, it largely took away from him the laurels which he had won during the two previous years. Mr. Twomey would gladly have assumed this entire debt had he been able to do so.

BALANCE RETURNED.

Mr. Twomey has returned the balance of 1910-1911 of \$37.95, the balance of 1911-1912 of \$23.28, also the sum of \$63.72, the amount collected during 1912-1913 over and above the expenditures, making a total of \$129.95 which is to be applied to the old debt.

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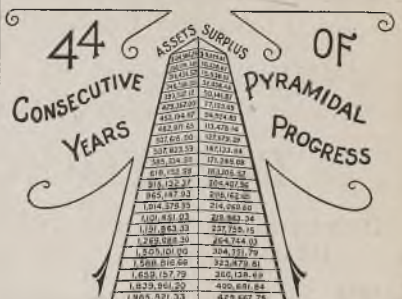
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